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Making a 13,000 mile trip is going some.

Why not employ the boy scouts to drum up baseball recruits?

Funny how a little thing like an ankle totally eclipses the short skirt.

President Taft shows his contempt for signs by starting his tour on Friday.

Mr. Bryan does not want any harmony in his. He knows what he thrives on.

The open season—between congresses—seems to have revived a good many lame ducks.

Some friend of Colonel Astor should advise him not to slip his card under Queen Mary's door.

Mr. Astor did not have to go to Reno to get married, but he may have to holler for help yet.

Cur—ses on the luck, the rabid anti-Tafters must exclaim at the president's vindication of Wiley.

The St. Louis man's idea of high flying is life in that metropolis during the Velled Prophet's festival.

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Fears of a famine of office-seekers in Pittsburg, Pa., prove to be groundless. A newspaper canvass shows 20,000 aspirants for half a hundred offices, insuring a reasonable amount of competition in the race.

Those Mexicans cannot have gotten very far on their presidential campaign as yet or there would be more of them running back and forth across the bridges that span the Rio Grande.

Colonel Roosevelt is reviewing some books under the caption "A Hunter-Naturalist in Europe and Africa." It is at least enlightening to know that it is possible to have the two in one.

According to the Outlook, reciprocity is a more heated issue in Canada than it has been at any time in the United States. Still, the United States has had enough heat this year to satisfy all reasonable demands.

Senator LaFollette must be an impressive man, for he has impressed into his Nebraska following the man known in the Nebraska senate of 1903 as the "general manager" for the railroads and franchised corporations.

We poke fun at the slowness of our Canadian friends, but that charge cannot be against those who robbed the British Columbia bank of \$320,000. That is a better haul than anyone on this side of the boundary has been able to make for some time.

A so-called university in Washington has been exposed in which the decree of Doctor of Philosophy may be had by reading eight prescribed books and paying \$75. The high cost of living must be a myth when such necessities of life as a college diploma can be bought so cheaply.

If he wanted to be perfectly frank about it, the Democratic United States senator from Nebraska might have told those postmasters that he was not only on record opposed to parcels post, but also could not well recede because he had received much coveted support for his election in consideration of the assurance thus given.

With a view of reducing the excessive mortality among the Indians, the Indian bureau is to have recourse to moving pictures to show the red man the right and wrong way to live. Moving pictures will doubtless help some toward the desired end, but keeping the bootleggers and land thieves on the reservation moving would help more.

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Information On New Postal Savings Bank

Valuable Advice Given For Benefit of Those Who Will Use This Method of Banking Savings.

The postoffice department has issued a circular containing information as to the workings of the new postal savings system that is to go into effect in Keokuk this month. Following is the list of instructions:

1. The Postal Savings System is established for the purpose of providing facilities for depositing savings at interest with the security of the United States government for repayment.

2. The faith of the United States is solemnly pledged to the payment of deposits made in postal savings depository offices with accrued interest as provided by the postal savings act.

3. Accounts may be opened and deposits made by any person of the age of 10 years or over in his or her own name and by a married woman in her own name and free from any interference or control by her husband. No person can have more than one account at any one time.

4. No person may open a postal savings account at any postoffice who is not a patron of that office.

5. All accounts must be opened in person by the depositor or his authorized representative. After opening an account a depositor may forward subsequent deposits to the postoffice by mail.

6. Deposits will be accepted only from individuals, and no account will be opened in the name of any corporation, association, society, firm or partnership, or in the names of two or more persons jointly.

7. No account will be opened in the name of one person in trust for or on behalf of another person or persons.

8. The service of the Postal Savings System is free, and no charge or fee is collected or required in connection with the opening of an account or the withdrawal of money deposited.

9. No person connected with the postoffice department or the postal service is permitted to disclose the name of any depositor or give any information concerning an account except to the depositor himself, unless directed to do so by the postmaster general.

10. When a person applies to open an account he must furnish the necessary information for the postmaster or his representative to fill out an application, which he will then be required to sign. If the applicant signs by mark, his signature must be witnessed by a disinterested person.

11. Deposits are evidenced by postal savings certificates issued in fixed denominations of \$1, \$2, \$5, \$10, \$20, \$50, and \$100, each bearing the name of the depositor, the number of his account, the date of issue, the name of the depositor, the number of his account on which interest begins. The postmaster or his representative will make out a duplicate of each certificate issued, which the depositor will be required to sign and which the postmaster will retain in his records.

12. No account may be opened for less than \$1, nor will fractions of a dollar be accepted for deposit.

13. No person is permitted to deposit more than \$100 in any one calendar month nor to have a total balance to his credit at one time of more than \$500 exclusive of accumulated interest.

14. Savings certificates cannot be transferred or negotiable and will be payable only to the person to whom issued.

15. On opening an account a depositor is supplied with an envelope in which he may keep his savings certificates for his guidance, and also a blank ledger record on which to keep an account of his deposits and withdrawals.

16. In case a savings certificate is lost or destroyed the depositor should notify the postmaster. If deemed proper, a new certificate will be issued upon compliance by the depositor with the necessary requirements.

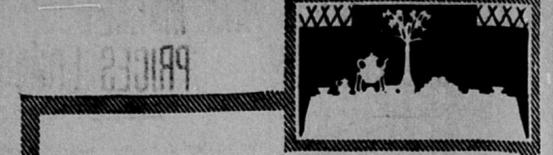
17. Postmasters are not permitted to receive savings certificates for safe keeping.

18. Amounts less than \$1 may be saved for deposit by the purchase of 10-cent postal savings cards and adhesive 10 cent postal savings stamps. Each postal savings card contains blank spaces to which savings stamps may be affixed from time to time as purchased, and a postal savings card with nine 10 cent savings stamps thus affixed will be accepted as a deposit of \$1 either in opening an account or in addition to an existing account.

19. Savings cards and stamps will be redeemed only by the issue of savings certificates and are not valid for postage. They will not be received in exchange for postage stamps nor will postage stamps be accepted in exchange for postal savings cards or stamps.

20. Interest will be allowed on all deposits at the rate of 2 per cent per annum, computed on each savings certificate separately, and payable annually. No interest will be paid on money which remains on deposit for a fraction of a year only.

21. Deposits will bear interest from the first day of the month next following that in which deposited.



No anxiety on Baking-day if you use Dr. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder. Insures light, sweet, wholesome food. A pure Cream of Tartar Powder. No Alum No Lime Phosphate.

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The management of the KEOKUK NATIONAL BANK Endeavors to pursue a progressive policy, to be liberal in its treatment and to adhere strictly to the legitimate lines of banking. 3 PER CENT INTEREST ON TIME AND SAVINGS DEPOSITS.

One Thing That You Will Never Regret— Is the saving of a portion of your salary. Another thing of quite as much importance is the placing of your savings in a reliable institution where they will be safe and accumulating at the same time. We offer you just this sort of a depository. Come in and talk the matter over confidentially. Do it today. Three per cent interest on Savings Accounts. The State Central Savings Bank Corner Sixth and Main streets Keokuk, Iowa

The Keokuk Savings Bank has facilities to transact any business demanded of a well organized bank. ONE DOLLAR WILL START A SAVINGS ACCOUNT. DIRECTORS:—A. E. Johnstone, F. W. Davis, Ben B. Jewell, H. L. Connable, B. L. Auwerda.

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